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ADJUTANT GENERAL

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# Adjutant General File

a copy of this letter was sent to all the Adjutant General's in the U.S.

July 26th, 1920.

Adjutant General,
State of Michigan,
Lansing, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

The museum of The American Numismatic Society has been gathering American Campaign Medals for many years.

We are now anxious to complete our collection of medals issued to Americans who served in the world war. We have already received a large number of medals given by municipalities, &c, to their citizens who were in the Army or Navy. If your state has issued, or is contemplating issuing, a service medal, we would be glad to be informed as to how we might secure a specimen for this Museum.

We receive all Army and Navy medals by special authorization from the War and Navy Departments. Perhaps some similar arrangement could be made with your state.

Yours very truly,

Assistant to Curator.

STATE OF ALABAMA

OFFICE OF

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL.

MONTGOMERY.

August 6, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
Assistant to Curator,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Wyman:

Replying to yours of the 26th, the State of Alabama has issued no medals to those of its citizens who participated in the World War nor is such issue contemplated.

Yours truly,

Hartley A. Moon,
The Adjutant General.

STATE OF VERMONT
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
MONTPELIER

August 7, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, New York.

Gentlemen:

Replying to your letter of August 5th regarding medals, would state that the State of Vermont has not issued a medal but is sending to each ex-service man from Vermont a Certificate of Service.

Very truly,

H. T. Johnson
m.

(Herbert T. Johnson)
The Adjutant General

*State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations.*

*The Adjutant General's Office,*

525

*Providence,* August 7, 1920

Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and
156th Streets,
New York.

Sir:-

Under separate cover I have mailed a medal of the Spanish-American War, also a State Guard medal for the World War. The State will not issue a medal for those in Federal service during the latter. Should you already have the former, please return as we are getting very short of them.

Sincerely yours,

Charles H. Dobbs.

The Adjutant General.

WISCONSIN NATIONAL GUARD
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
MADISON

August 9, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

Answering your letter of August 4th.

The State of Wisconsin has not issued nor is it contemplating the issue of medals to its soldiers in the late World War.

Yours very truly,

E. S. Dwyer

Asst. Adjutant General.

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THE SECRETARY
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AUDUBON 2484
CABLE ADDRESS
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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

August 10th, 1920.

Adjutant General,
State of Florida,
Tallahassee, Florida.

Dear Sir:-

The museum of The American Numismatic Society has been gathering American Campaign Medals for many years.

We are now anxious to complete our collection of medals issued to Americans who served in the World War. We have already received a large number of medals given by municipalities &c, to their citizens who were in the Army or Navy. If your state has issued, or is contemplating issuing, a service medal, we would be glad to be informed as to how we might secure a specimen for this Museum.

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Yours very truly,

Arthur C. Wyman

Assistant to Curator.

W/R.

1st Ind.

Office of the Adjutant General, State of Florida, St.Augustine,Fla., Aug.30,1920 - To American Numismatic Society,New Yprk.

1. Returned with the information that the State of Florida has issued no service medals for the World War.

Sidney J.Catts,Jr.,
The Adjutant General.

THE STATE OF WYOMING
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
CHEYENNE

TIMOTHY J. McCOY
ADJUTANT GENERAL

August 10, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th & 156th Sts.,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

Your letter of August 4th received. In reply, will state that we are forwarding you under separate cover blank medal, which the State of Wyoming is presenting to her soldiers who served in the World War.

Yours very truly,

T. J. McCoy
The Adjutant General.

August 10th, 1920

General Charles W. Abbot
The Adjutant-General's Office
State House, Providence, R.I.

My dear General Abbot:

I have received today the two Rhode Island Medals and lapel button which you so kindly sent in response to my request. I am, personally, very much pleased with your courtesy as I am myself a Rhode Islander by birth, and was for a number of years a member of the Rhode Island National Guard.

Fortunately, we already had the medal for service in the Spanish-American War, and therefore I am, in accordance with your request, returning this medal to you under separate cover by registered mail.

Thanking you again, I am

Sincerely yours,

Assistant to Curator

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BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
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NEW YORK

August 10th, 1920.

Adjutant General,
State of Iowa,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:-

The museum of The American Numismatic Society has been gathering American Campaign Medals for many years.

We are now anxious to complete our collection of medals issued to Americans who served in the World War. We have already received a large number of medals given by municipalities &c,to their citizens who were in the Army or Navy. If your state has issued, or is contemplating issuing, a service medal, we would be glad to know how we might secure a specimen for this Museum.

We receive all Army and Navy medals by special authorization from the War and Navy Departments. Perhaps some similar arrangement could be made with your state.

Yours very truly,

Arthur C. Newman
Assistant to Curator.

W/R.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
HARRISBURG

August 10, 1920.

Arthur C. Wyman,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th and 156th Sts.,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

By direction of The Adjutant-General acknowledgment made of receipt of your inquiry of August 9th relative to campaign medal issued by the State of Pennsylvania to soldiers in the World War.

There is no authority of law as yet, nor any appropriation made for the issuance of a medal by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania covering the recent war, but a medal has been issued for the Mexican Border Service, and I believe a copy of this medal was furnished your Society some months ago.

Very truly yours,

Benj. W. Demming,
Chief Clerk.

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL, DES MOINES, IOWA

1st Ind.

A.G.O. Iowa, Des Moines, August 13, 1920. To Arthur G. Wyman, American Numismatic Association, Broadway between 155th and 156th streets, New York.

1. Relative to the above this office has to advise that nothing in the way of a campaign medal has been issued or authorized by the State of Iowa for her citizens who served in the army or navy during the World's War. The only medal issued so far is the Mexican Border service medal and medals pertaining to service in the National Guard in time of peace.

Louis G. Lasher,
The Adjutant General.

8-Miscl.-American Numismatic Society.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL,
ANNAPOLIS.

11th August, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th and 156th Sts.,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Replying to your communication of the 10th inst., I am instructed by The Adjutant General to advise you that the plans made by this Office to issue to the officers and men, citizens from the State of Maryland who served in the World War, appropriate medals commemorative of such service and as a token of recognition by the State of their services in the World War, failed owing to the failure of the Legislature of Maryland, at its January, 1920 Session, to pass the necessary appropriation to defray the expenses of the same. This State, therefore, has not issued such service medal.

Very respectfully,

J. M. Griffith,
Chief Clerk.

*In reply refer to*
*Subject No.*

ALL COMMUNICATIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON

August 11, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155 and 156th Sts.,
New York.

Gentlemen:

In reference to your letter of August 10th would say that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has not issued any service medal nor is it contemplating issuing any. It has issued a certificate of service.

Yours truly,

Jesse F. Stevens

JESSE F. STEVENS,
The Adjutant General.

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

August 11th, 1920.

Adjutant General,
State of Kentucky,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:-

The museum of The American Numismatic Society has been gathering American Campaign Medals for many years.

We are now anxious to complete our collection of medals issued to Americans who served in the World War. We have already received a large number of medals given by municipalities &c, to their citizens who were in the Army or Navy. If your state has issued, or is contemplating issuing, a service medal, we would be glad to be informed as to how we might secure a specimen for this Museum.

We receive all Army and Navy medals by special authorization from the War and Navy Departments. Perhaps some similar arrangement could be made with your state..

Yours very truly,

Arthur C. Hyman

Assistant to Curator.

W/R.

No medal has been issued; no is any contemplated.

State House, Frankfort, Ky
Aug 5, 1920.

J. H. Wheeler
The Adjutant General
State of Kentucky

# State of Connecticut.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
HARTFORD.

August 11, 1920.

From: The Adjutant General of Conn.

To: Mr. Arthur C. Wyman, New York, N.Y.

Subject: Campaign medals.

Replying to yours of August 10th, the State of Connecticut has not as yet awarded a medal to the soldiers and sailors of the World War of this State.

G.M.Cole

G.M.Cole,
Brig. General.

State of Minnesota
Adjutant General's Office
St. Paul August 12, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society
Broadway
New York City.

Gentlemen:

Responsive to your letter of August 9th, would advise that Minnesota has not as yet issued a medal to her citizens who participated in the World's War.

This will doubtless be accorded attention after the various bonus departments have had final action.

Very truly yours,

William C. Garis.
Acting The Adjutant General.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT

STATE OF GEORGIA

ATLANTA

August 18, 1920.

From: The Adjutant General, State of Georgia.

To: The American Numismatic Society, Broadway, Between 155th and 156th Sts., New York City.

Subject: Medals.

1. Replying to your inquiry of the 10th inst., I regret exceedingly to say that Georgia has not issued any medals to soldiers, sailors or marines who served in the recent war, and it is not anticipated that any favorable action will be taken in the matter in the future.

Van Holt Nash,
The Adjutant General.

N/g.

J. J. HARRISON, LITTLE ROCK
COMMANDER

A. W. DOBYNS, LITTLE ROCK
ADJUTANT

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R. H. MOTT, HELENA

August,12th,1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway between 155th & 156th Sts.,
New York City.

Gentlemen:-

I am enclosing herewith Mexican Border Campaign Medal presented by the State to members of the National Guard of this State who participated in the Mexican Border Campaign.

No Medals have as yet been presented to men of this State who served during the World War.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Cordially,

Joe S. Harris,
Adjt. General.

1 Encl.

FOR ANY INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE IN CONNECTION WITH ADJUSTMENT OF ALLOTMENTS AND ALLOWANCES, COMPENSATION FOR EX-SERVICE MEN, COMPENSATION FOR DEPENDENTS, INSURANCE CLAIMS, INSURANCE STATUS, ALLOTMENT REFUND, BONUS, DECEASED SOLDIER'S EFFECTS, DECEASED SOLDIER'S PAY DUE, DECEASED SOLDIER'S BONDS, LIBERTY BONDS, LOST DISCHARGES, REISSUE OF UNIFORM, TRAVEL PAY, INCREASE OVERSEAS PAY SINCE JULY 11, 1919, VOCATIONAL TRAINING FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS, ETC., WRITE DIRECT TO EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, AMERICAN LEGION, STATE CAPITOL, LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS.

# MILITARY DEPARTMENT

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

CHARLESTON

August 13, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

The State of West Virginia has not authorized an issue of Service methods for the soldiers.

Yours very truly

Acting Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

AUGUSTA

August 13, 1920.

Arthur [illegible],
Assistant to Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, New York City.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your communication of August 12th, referring to the desire of the American Numismatic Society to obtain specimens of medals issued to the World War veterans, beg to reply that the Legislature of our State up to the present writing has never provided for service medals for Maine. We are giving a certificate to our soldiers and if you wish would be glad to send you one marked Copy.

Yours sincerely,

George [illegible] Pearson

George [illegible] Pearson,
The Adjutant General.

# State of New Hampshire

The Adjutant General's Office

Concord, August 13, 1920.

Arthur G. Wyman,
Assistant to Curator,
American Munismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th & 156th Sts.,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

I am pleased to inclose herewith the Service Medal which the State of New Hampshire is issuing to all of its citizens who were in the Army or Navy of the United States or Allied Countries during the World War.

Very truly,

C. W. Howard

The Adjutant General of
New Hampshire.

1 Incl.

IN REPLY REFER TO
No.

# STATE OF NEW JERSEY

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL L

TRENTON August 13th, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
Assistant to Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and 156th Streets,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

In compliance with request contained in your letter of the 12th instant it gives me a great deal of pleasure to send you under separate cover one of the medals authorized by the State of New Jersey to be issued to men and women who were in the Federal service during the War with Germany.

Very truly yours,

Frederick Gillespie
The Adjutant General.

Medal received Aug 16 1920

STATE OF COLORADO
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
DENVER

August 14, 1920

FROM: The Adjutant General, State of Colorado.

TO: The American Numismatic Society, Between 155th and 156th Sts. on Broadway, New York.

SUBJECT: Campaign medals.

1. In reference to your inquiry of the 10th inst., this State has not issued or awarded any medal to veterans of the World War. Neither has any been issued by any city or municipality of this State to my knowledge.

By direction of The Adjutant General:

Chas. B. Lore,
Major, IGD, Acting Adjutant, AGD.

ALH:EA

State of Nebraska
Adjutant General's Department
Lincoln

August 14, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
The American Numismatic Society,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 10th inst., will say that Nebraska has not issued nor is not contemplating issuing a service medal to Americans who served in the World War.

Very truly yours,

H J Paul

The Adjutant General,
Nebraska.

HJP/D

File No. _____

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
JACKSON, MISS.

August 15, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th and 156th Sts.,
New York City.

ATTENTION ASSISTANT TO CURATOR.

Gentlemen:

The Legislature of Mississippi at its 1920 Session did not see fit to authorize the issue of medals to the soldiers and sailors of Mississippi who served in the World War. The Legislature will not convene again until 1921.

Very respectfully,

The Adjutant General.

ACS/t

STATE OF NEVADA

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

CARSON CITY

August 17, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway & 156th Sts.,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of the 12th inst., beg to advise that the State of Nevada has not issued a medal for those who served in the World War. In the event that a medal is issued at some time in the future, I will be pleased to send one to your Society .

Respectfully,

Maurice Sullivan

The Adjutant General.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
BATON ROUGE.

August 17, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
Assistant to Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Acknowledging receipt of your letter of August 12th, I am sorry to inform you that this State has awarded no medals, etc. to soldiers from this State in the World's War.

Yours very truly,

L. A. TOOMBS
Adjutant General.

August 17th, 1929

General E. M. McCoy
Adjutant General's Office
Cheyenne, Wyo.

My dear General McCoy:

I have your letter of August 10th stating that you are sending us a Wyoming medal under separate cover. I desire to thank you for this courtesy, but regret to state that the medal has not arrived here to date; possibly, this is due to delay in the mails, and I trust that it will reach us safely before long.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

s/s

August 17th, 1920

General Frederick Gilkyson
Adjutant General's Office
Trenton, N.J.

My dear General Gilkyson:

I thank you very much for your courtesy in sending our Museum the medal which was issued to men and women who were in the Federal service during the war with Germany and which was authorized by the State of New Jersey.

We are making a special effort now to complete our Collection of American Campaign Medals, and your gift is a welcome addition.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

V/K

August 17th, 1920

General H. C. Clark
Adjutant General's Office
Jefferson City, Mo.

My dear General Clark:

I wish to thank you for your letter of August 14th and for the suggestion therein contained in regard to securing the Missourian medals.

I am writing today to L. L. Judd Company, and shall hope soon to have these pieces as a part of our Collection.

Missouri is a good ways from New York, but if you should ever happen to be in this city I think you would be very much interested in looking over the display of War Medals of all countries which we are able to make in this Museum.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

s/k

August 17th, 1920

General Louis G. Lasher
The AdjutantGeneral's Office
Des Moines, Iowa

My dear General Lasher:

I notice in your reply to my request for service medals for the World War that the State of Iowa has issued medals for Mexican border service, and I find that our Museum unfortunately has not a specimen of this medal in its collection of State medals issued for that service. We would very much appreciate it therefore if it could be made possible for us to secure one of these. Our collection of Campaign medals is so nearly complete that it would be a pity for any to be lacking.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

A/E

August 17th, 1920

General Joe S. Harris
Adjutant General's Office
Little Rock, Ark.

My dear General Harris:

I thank you very much for your courtesy in sending our Museum the Mexican Border Campaign Medal of the State of Arkansas.

We are making a special effort now to complete our Collection of American Campaign Medals, and your gift is a very welcome addition.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

W/e

State of Illinois
Military and Naval Department
Springfield

August 20, 1920.

My dear Mr. Wyman:

In reply to your letter of August 10, relative to medals being issued by the State of Illinois for soldiers who participated in the World War, wish to advise that during the last session of our legislature a bill was passed authorizing the Adjutant General to issue an appropriate medal for this occasion, however, the legislature failed to make any appropriation with which to carry the intentions of this bill into execution, hence we find ourselves only authorized to issue the medal but not furnished with necessary funds.

We anticipate that at a future session of the legislature suitable appropriation may be secured and then the Adjutant General will be in position to secure and issue such medals.

Very truly yours,

The Adjutant General
Chief of Staff

Mr Arthur Wyman
American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th & 156th St.,
New York.

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STATE OF INDIANA
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
INDIANAPOLIS

HARRY B. SMITH
ADJUTANT GENERAL

August 23, 1920.

Arthur C. Wiman,
% American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th & 156th Sts.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Sir:

The State of Indiana did not provide any medals for the men from this State who saw service in the great war. There was no fund out of which medals could be paid for and the matter was deferred until the meeting of the legislature in the early part of January of next year, when action of some kind is likely to be taken.

Yours very truly,

Harry B. Smith,
Adjutant General.

STATE OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

AUSTIN

August 28, 1920.

From: The Adjutant General, State of Texas.

To: Arthur C. Lyman, Asst. to Curator, Broadway, between 155th and 156th St., New York City.

Subject: State medals.

1. Replying to your letter of the 9th inst., regret to advise that the State is not issuing any medals to Americans who served in the World War, this matter being handled by the Federal authorities.

W. L. Cope,
The Adjutant General.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

SACRAMENTO

32-9

August 24, 1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and
156th Streets,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

The State of California has not issued a medal to the men who served in the military forces of the United States during the world war.

Very respectfully,

J.J. Borree,
Brig. Gen. N.G.C.,
The Adjutant General.

E. B. STAHLMAN, PRESIDENT.

EDGAR M. FOSTER, BUSINESS MGR.

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August 26, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman, Assistant to Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and 156th Streets,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Your letter addressed to the Adjutant General of the State of Tennessee has been referred to the writer for attention.

The local Citizens Committee presented each of the Nashville and Davidson County boys in the service a medal upon their return to Nashville, and the few that were left over were given to Tennessee boys from other parts of the State, therefore, we regret to advise you that we have not a single one of these medals left to send you.

Yours very truly,

EMF:M

August 31st, 1920

Edgar M. Foster, Esq.
Business Manager, Nashville Banner
Nashville, Tenn.

My dear Sir:

I have your letter of August 26th, and regret to learn that the medals issued by the Citizens Committee of Nashville are exhausted. It occurs to me, however, that if you could furnish me with the names of the manufacturers who produced those medals, I might be able to secure a specimen through them. We have frequently been able to do this in supplying our Collection. This might necessitate an authorization from your Committee for the purpose.

Our collection of these medals is now almost complete; indeed, with the exception of a medal issued by one of the New England towns and your medals, I believe we have everything of the sort which is available.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

MC

State of Iowa
Adjutant General's Department
Des Moines

IN REPLY REFER TO

August 31, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman
New York City.

Dear Sir;

I am sending you this day under seperate cover a service medal for Mexican Border Service for display in your collection of medals.

Sincerely yours,

Louis G. Lasher,
The Adjutant General.

ML:MG

Commonwealth of Virginia
Adjutant General's Office
Richmond

September 2nd, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
Assistant to the Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway between 155th and 156th Sts.
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Reply to your letter of the 4th of August was delayed through the letter being misplaced.

This State has, as yet, made no provision for the issue of medals to Virginians who served in the World War, and there is, at present, no appropriation available for the purpose.

Should provision be made for the issue of a medal, at any time in the future, this office will take pleasure in sending you sample of such medal.

Respectfully,

Jo Lane Stern

( JO LANE STERN. )
The Adjutant General.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
RALEIGH

Sept. 2, [illegible]

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
Assistant to Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th & 156th. Sts.,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor of Aug. 12th. requesting that we send you one of the medals issued [illegible] vise that we are forwarding to you by [illegible] of the State Medals.

[illegible]

[illegible]

JVDM/C.

STATE OF KANSAS
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
TOPEKA

September 7,1920.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and 156 St.,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

Replying to your letter of August 11th. We have to inform you that the State of Kansas has issued no medals to those who served in the World War and so far no provision has been contemplated.

Yours very truly,

C. I. Martin

C.I.MARTIN,
The Adjutant General.

MRM-h

State of Idaho

# Adjutant General's Office

BOISE

September 16, 1920.

Mr. Arthur C. Wyman,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th and 156th St.,
New York City, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter of August 10th regarding American Campaign Medals, beg to state that the State of Idaho has issued no such medals, we are therefore unable to send you any.

Very respectfully yours,

L V Patch

L. V. Patch
Adjutant General.

THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY,
Broadway at 156th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Alabama - - - - - no.
[illegible] - - - - - - no.
Arkansas - - - - no
California - - - - - - no.
Colorado - - - no.
Connecticut - - no.
Delaware - - - - - yes.
Dist. Columbia - yes
Florida - - - no.
Georgia - - - - - no.
Idaho - - - - - - no.
Illinois - - - - no.
Indiana - - no.
Iowa - - - - no.
Kansas - - - - - no.
Kentucky - - - - no.
Louisiana - - - - no
[illegible] no.
Maryland - - - - no.
Massachusetts - - no.
Michigan - - no
Minnesota - - - no.
Mississippi
Missouri - yes
Montana - - - - no.
Nebraska - - - no
Nevada - - - - no.

New Hampshire - yes
New Jersey - yes
New Mexico - - - - - no.
New York - yes
North Carolina yes
North Dakota - - - no.
Ohio - - - - will come.
Oklahoma - - - no.
Oregon yes
Pennsylvania - yes
Rhode Island - yes.
South Carolina - - no.
South Dakota - - - no.
Tennessee - - - - no.
Texas - - - - - - no.
Utah -
Vermont - - - - - no.
Virginia - - - - - No
Washington -
West Virginia - - - no.
Wisconsin - - - no.
Wyoming - yes

Mrs. Ruch:-

Mr. Noe told me something about your being nearly finished with Whitehead's copying, and that you could take up some typewriting, and perhaps it would be a wise idea if you would help me out in these war medal letters. I am attaching a copy of the letter I am sending to the various Adjutant Generals.

Mr. Wood has those of

New York
Pennsylvania
New Hampshire
North Carolina
Rhode Island
Missouri
Oregan
Wyoming
New Jersey
District of Columbia.

I have written to

Michigan
Arkansas
Alabama
Colorado
Connecticut
Georgia
Illinois
Indiana
Iowa
Kentucky
Maryland
Massashusetts
Minnesota
Mississippi
Nebraska
Nevada
Vermont
West Va.
Wisconsin
Louisiana
Texas
California
Tennessee
Virginia
Kansas
Idaho

All the other States have to be written to, so try your hand.

M.A.R.

Arizona,
Delaware,
Florida
Maine
Montana
New Mexico
No.Dakota
Ohio
Oklahoma
So.Carolina
So.Dakota
Utah
Washington

World War Have the following State medals.

New York
Conn.
New Hampshire
North Carolina
Rhode Island
Mississippi
Oregon
Wyoming
New Jersey
Dist of Columbia

See me
Mexican Border
Leo

✓ 1
Capital
State

Use 15th write

Michigan
Arkansas
Alabama
Colorado
Connecticut
Georgia
Illinois
Indiana
Kentucky

16th
Iowa
Maryland
Massachusetts
Minnesota

17th
Mississippi
Nebraska
Nevada
Vermont

WHEREAS, at the Annual Meeting of the American Numismatic and Archaeological Society, held on the 16th day of March, 1891, a resolution was unanimously adopted in favor of securing a house for the use of the Society, and of raising the sum of $50,000 for that purpose. And, whereas the following members of the Society, namely: Messrs. Andrew C. Zabriskie, H. Russell Drowne, Herbert Valentine, Charles Pryer, William Poillon and Daniel Parish, Jr., were at said meeting appointed a Committee for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions towards such society house.

Now, we, the undersigned, hereby subscribe the sums set opposite our respective names here below, it being understood that our subscriptions shall only be binding upon us when the sum of $40,000 is subscribed, and that such subscriptions shall be due and payable three months after said sum is subscribed (on notification from the Treasurer of the Society), or at such other time as may be specified by a subscriber in connection with his subscription.

And, when the amount of $40,000 is payable, it shall be deposited at interest in one of the Trust Companies in New York City, until, in the discretion of the committee, a suitable house has been obtained.

STATE OF NEW YORK
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
ALBANY

October 17, 1921.

From: The Adjutant General.

To: Howland Wood, Curator, The American Numismatic Society, Broadway & 155th St., N.Y. City.

Subject: Military Decorations.

1. In response to your request of the 13th instant, there is forwarded you under separate cover, package containing the World War Medal and the Mexican Border Medal for exhibition purposes.

2. The aqueduct Service Medal has not as yet been received from the maker; but when ready, a medal will be sent you. The Conspicuous Service Cross will have to be ordered from Messrs. Tiffany & Co., and your society will be included on the next order for Crosses sent them.

J. Leslie Kincaid,
The Adjutant General.

By: W. H. Ferguson

W.H.Ferguson,
Lt. Commander, R.L.

October 21st, 1921

SUBJECT: Military Decorations

The Adjutant General
The Adjutant General's Office
Albany, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the Society I beg to thank you very sincerely for sending on to our Museum specimens of the World War Medal and the Mexican Border Medal.

Also, I beg to thank you in advance for the Aqueduct Service Medal when that is issued, and for the Conspicuous Service Cross when you receive more from Tiffany and Company.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/R

December 1st, 1921

Adjutant-General's Office,
Albany, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

We are in receipt of the usual [illegible]
for Faithful State Service in the Field during
the World War. I will appreciate it if you
will kindly thank the Adjutant-General for send-
ing this document to our Post.

Very truly yours,

[illegible]

[illegible]/[illegible]

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Connecticut,
Hartford, Connecticut.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Connecticut has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

The American Numismatic Society has one of the finest collections of warmedals and decorations in the world, and it is our aim to keep it as complete as we are able.

Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Georgia,
Atlanta, Georgia.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Georgia has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Illinois,
Springfield, Illinois.

Dear Sir:-

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Kentucky,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Kentucky has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to so do, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Indiana,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Indiand has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Colorado,
Denver, Colorado.

Dear Sirs-

I am writing to ask if the State of Colorado has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible, and would gladly assume any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Alabama,
Montgomery, Alabama.

Dear Sir:-

Has the State of Alabama ever issued a medal to those of its citizens who participated in the World War? If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

Adjutant General,
State of Arkansas,
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sir:-

This society is anxious to have as complete a collection of war medals and badges as is possible, and for that reason I am writing to ask if the State of Arkansas issued a medal to its Veterans of the World War, and how it would be possible for this society to obtain a copy. We would, of course, gladly assume any expense attached to obtaining this copy.

Very truly yours,

Curator.

December 15th, 1921.

Adjutant General,
State of Michigan,
Lansing, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-

This Society is desirous of having as complete a collection of medals and war badges as is possible. At present we have one of the finest collection of war badges that exists in the world. I am writing to ask if the State of Michigan issued a medal to its veterans of the World War, and whether it would be possible for us to get a sample of the medal for this collection. We would, of course, gladly assume any expense in this connection.

Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Very truly yours,

Curator.

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 15th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Georgia,
Atlanta, Georgia.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Georgia has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Howland Wood

Curator,

1st Ind.

State of Ga., AGO, Atlanta, Dec. 17, 1921.
To: Curator, American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and 156th St., New York City.

1. Returned advising that Georgia has made no provision for the issuance of medals to those from this State who served during the World War and it is not anticipated that any favorable action will be taken in the future.

Marion Nash

X. VAN HOLT NASH,
The Adjutant General.

December 16th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Massachusetts,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Massachusetts has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 16th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Maryland,
Annapolis, Maryland.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Maryland has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 16th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Iowa,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Iowa has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 16th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Minnesota,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Minnesota has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

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BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 16th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Iowa,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Iowa has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

1-o 1st Ind.

A.G.O., Des Moines, Iowa. December 22, 1921. To: The American Numismatic Society, New York City, N.Y.

1. Returned, advising that the State of Iowa has not issued a medal for its soldiers of the World's War, nor does there seem to be any indication that such reward will be given by the State.

Louis G. Lasher,
The Adjutant General.

# State of Connecticut.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
HARTFORD.

December 16, 1921.

From: The Adjutant General.

To: The American Numismatic Society, New York.

Subject: Medal.

Replying to yours of December 15th, you are advised that the State of Connecticut did not give a medal for the World War. It did give a medal, however, for the Spanish-American War, and if you weren't provided one of those, I shall be very glad to furnish you with one.

G.M.Cole

G.M.Cole,
Adjutant General.

December 17th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Vermont,
Montpelier, Vt.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Vermont has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy for its collection if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 17th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Nevada,
Carson City, Nevada.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Nevada has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy for its collection if it is possible to do so, and would gladly remunerate any expenses connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 17th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Nebraska,
Lincoln, Nebraska.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Nebraska has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy for its collection if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 17th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Mississippi,
Jackson, Mississippi.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Mississippi has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 17th, 1941

Adjutant-General G. M. Cole
Adjutant-General's Office
Military Department
Hartford, Conn.

Dear Sir:

Your favour of December 16th at hand. This Museum has not a specimen of the Spanish-American War medal and we greatly appreciate your courtesy in offering to furnish us with one.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

STATE OF INDIANA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
INDIANAPOLIS

No

December 17, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 15, you are advised that the State of Indiana has granted no medals to her ex-service men.

Yours very truly,

Harry Wilson

The Adjutant General.

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BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of South Carolina,
Columbia, South Carolina.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of South Carolina has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Howland Wood

Curator.

1st Ind.

A.G.O., Columbia, S.C., Dec. 23, 1921. To: Mr. H. F. Wood, Curator, The American Numismatic Society, New York, N.Y.

1. Returned. The State has not yet issued a medal as referred to above.

R. E. Grant,
The Adjutant General.

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December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General ,
State of Idaho,
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Idaho has yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

1st. Ind.

Adjutant General of Idaho, Boise, Idaho. Dec.24,1921. To: Curator, The American Numismatic Society, New York.

1. Up to the present time no medal has been issued by the State of Idaho nor is any contemplated.

J. [illegible] Burns,
Asst. Adjt. General.

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December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Montana,
Helena, Montana.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Montana has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

1st Ind.

The Adjutant General, Helena, Montana Dec.28th, 1921-- To The Curator, American Numismatic Society Broadway Between 155th and 156th Sts., New York City N.Y.

Returned with the information that up to the present time Montana has not authorized the issue of a medal to men from this state who served in the late War.

CHARLES L. SHERIDAN,
Adjutant General.

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December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Louisiana,
Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Louisiana has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would glady assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

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OF
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL,
STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Howland Wood

Curator.

None have been issued by the State
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December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Oklahoma,
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Oklahoma has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,
I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

1st. Ind.

A.G.O., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, December 23, 1921 - To The American Numismatic Society, New York City.

1. Returned with the information that the State of Oklahoma has not issued a medal to soldiers of the World War.

Chas. F. Barrett,
The Adjutant General.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Ohio,
Columbus, Ohio.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Ohio has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Oklahoma,
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Oklahoma has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of South Carolina,
Columbia, South Carolina.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of South Carolina has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of South Dakota,
Pierre, South Dakota.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of South Dakota has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,
I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Utah,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Utah has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Washington,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Washington has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly secure any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Montana,
Helena, Montana.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Montana has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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The Adjutant General,
State of Maine,
Augusta, Maine.

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The Adjutant General,
State of Florida,
Tallahassee, Florida.

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November 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Delaware,
Dover, Delaware.

Dear Sir:-

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December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Arizona,
Phoenix, Arizona.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Arizona has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense occasioned therewith.

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The Adjutant General,
State of Idaho,
Boise, Idaho.

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December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Kansas,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir:-

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The Adjutant General,
State of Tennessee,
Nashville, Tennessee.

Dear Sir:-

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Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Virginia,
Richmond, Virginia.

Dear Sir:-

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Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of California,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of California has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Texas,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Texas has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Louisiana,
Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Louisiana has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 10th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wisconsin.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Wisconsin has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of West Virginia,
Charleston, West Virginia.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of West Virginia has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of North Dakota,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of North Dakota has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly return any expense contained therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of New Mexico,
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of New Mexico has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly secure any expense connected therewith.

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I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

# State of Connecticut.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
HARTFORD.

December 19, 1921.

From: The Adjutant General.

To: The American Numismatic Society, New York, N.Y.

Subject: Medal.

1. Replying to yours of the 17th, you are advised that there has been forwarded to you, under separate cover, today one Spanish-American War Medal issued by the State of Connecticut to the soldiers and sailors who served in the Spanish-American War from this State. Inforwarding this, I beg to advise that this medal was designed by the undersigned, and manufactured by The Bailey, Banks & Biddle Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

2. I am also forwarding to you a medal which was issued by the State of Connecticut a great many years ago to men who answered the first call of Abraham Lincoln in the Civil War.

G.M.Cole,
Adjutant General.

No

STATE OF VERMONT
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
MONTPELIER December 19, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,
156th St., New York.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of Dec. 17th, would say that the State of Vermont has not issued a medal to her soldiers who participated in the World War and is not contemplating doing so. She has, however, issued to all men and women in service a certificate of appreciation giving their service records. If it would be of any value to you to have a copy of this certificate this office would be glad to mail you one.

Very truly,

H. T. Johnson
(Herbert T. Johnson)
The Adjutant General

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
LANSING

December 19, 1921

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator
The American Numismatic Society
156th St West of Broadway
New York City

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 15th inst the State of Michigan did issue a medal to soldiers of the World War. Some of the cities, Lansing, Detroit and others made local awards of rings which may be had upon application to the mayor of the city.

Michigan issued a medal to soldiers on the Spanish-American war.

Very truly yours,

JOHN S. BERSEY
Col.The Adj.Gen.of Mich

By: B.K. Manitates
Chief Clerk

OFFICE OF
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No

THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of South Dakota,
Pierre, South Dakota.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of South Dakota has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Howland Wood.

Curator.

1st Ind.

The Adjutant General of South Dakota, Aberdeen, Dec. 24, 1921. To: Mr. Howland Wood, Curator, New York City, N. Y.

Returned, nothing.

W. A. Hazle,
The Adjutant General.

Misc.
American Numismatic Society

No

STATE OF MARYLAND
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
ANNAPOLIS

19th December, 1921.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway near 155th St.,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Replying to your inquiry of 16th December, 1921, I am directed by The Adjutant General to advise you that the State of Maryland has not as yet provided, by appropriate legislation, for the issue of a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War.

Very respectfully,

J. H. Griffith,
Chief Clerk.

STATE OF KENTUCKY
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
FRANKFORT

No

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
"THE ADJUTANT GENERAL"

December 19, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

Beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 15th in regard to medals issued by the State of Kentucky to soldiers who participated in the Worlds War. In answer will say that the State of Kentucky has not authorized the issue of any medals to her soldiers of this War.

Very truly yours,

Isaac Wilder

Isaac Wilder,
Major Infantry
Assistant Adjutant General.

IW:NMJ

State of Illinois
Military and Naval Department
Springfield

No

December 19, 1921.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 15 regret to advise that the State of Illinois has not yet provided a medal for service in the World War.

Very truly yours,

The Adjutant General
Chief of Staff.

Mr. Howland Wood,
New York, N. Y.

No

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of Kansas,
Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of Kansas has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Curator.

Adjutant General's Office, Topeka, Kansas- December 22 1921.

The State of Kansas has issued no medal to soldiers participating in the World War.

C. I. Martin,
The Adjutant General (Kansas)

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STATE OF ALABAMA

OFFICE OF

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL.

MONTGOMERY.

220.5-Ala. LHW/M December 19, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,
Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and 156th Sts.,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

We regret to inform you that Alabama has not issued a medal commemorative of the service of its citizens in the World War.

Should such a medal be issued, we shall be pleased to inform you of the fact, and take steps to place one in your collection.

Yours very truly,

Hartley A. Moon

Hartley A. Moon,
Col., A. G. D., Ala. N. G.,
The Adjutant General.

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 19th, 1921.

The Adjutant General,
State of North Dakota,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to ask if the State of North Dakota has as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War. If so, this Society would like to obtain a specimen copy if it is possible to do so, and would gladly assume any expense connected therewith.

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Trusting to be favored with a reply, I am,

Yours very truly,

Howland Wood,

Curator.

I regret to say that this office has issued nothing of the kind; and the state has taken no action along these lines.

G. A. Fraser,
The Adjutant General.

J. J. HARRISON, LITTLE ROCK
COMMANDER

A. W. DOBYNS, LITTLE ROCK
ADJUTANT

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT

# THE AMERICAN LEGION

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STATE CAPITOL
H. F. FREDEMAN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

LITTLE ROCK Dec.20th.1921.

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Mr.Howland Wood,Curator,

American Numismatic Siciety,

156th.Street,West of Broadway,

New York City.

Dear Sri:

Replying to your favor of the 15th.instant, I beg to advise that no medal has been authorized by this State to men who served during the World War from Arkansas.

Cordially,

H.F.Fredeman,
Executive Secreatry.

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FOR INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE IN CONNECTION WITH WAR RISK INSURANCE, BONUS, TRAVEL PAY, ALLOTMENTS, BACK PAY, LIBERTY BONDS AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION OF DISABLED SOLDIERS WRITE DIRECT TO HENRY F. FREDEMAN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, STATE CAPITOL, LITTLE ROCK.

Commonwealth of Virginia
Adjutant General's Office
Richmond

21 December 1921.

Mr.Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 19th received.

The State of Virginia has not voted a Medal to the soldiers who took part in the World War. The Legislature met in January, 1920, when this matter had not been acted upon generally thoughtout the country.

There will be another session in January,1922, at which time the matter may be acted upon by the Legislature.

Yours very truly,

Jo. Lane Stern

Jo. Lane Stern.
The Adjutant General.

STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
AUGUSTA

No

December 21, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,
Curator, The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of inquiry you are advised that the State of Maine has never issued a medal of any kind to the veterans of the State who participated in the World War.

Very truly yours,

John A. Hadley
JOHN A. HADLEY
The Adjutant General.

STATE OF COLORADO
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
STATE CAPITOL BUILDING
DENVER

No

IN REPLYING REFER TO

December 21, 1921.

From: The Adjutant General, Colorado.

To: The Curator, The American Numismatic Society,
Braodway, between 155th and 156th Sts.,
New York, N. Y.

Subject: World War Medals.

Replying to your inquiry of the 15th inst., this is to inform you that the State of Colorado has issued no medal of any description to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War.

P. J. Hamrock
P. J. HAMROCK,
The Adjutant General.

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State of Minnesota
Adjutant General's Office
St. Paul

December 21st, 1921.

No

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York City.

My dear Mr. Wood:

Replying to your communication of December 16th.

The State of Minnesota has not issued a medal to its soldiers who participated in the World War.

Very truly yours,

E. A. Walsh,
Lt.Col., Asst. Adj. Gen.

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By Command BRIG. GEN. RHINOW.

**MILITARY DEPARTMENT**
**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA**
**ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE**
**CHARLESTON**

No

Dec. 21, 1921.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th & 156th Streets,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Replying to your inquiry of December 19th, there has been no medal struck for the State of west Virginia for those who participated in the World War.

Should any be struck in the future, we will be pleased to furnish you one.

Very respectfully,

John H Schwarzer
Adjutant General.

State of Nebraska
Adjutant General's Department
Lincoln

No

Dec. 21, 1921.

Curator, The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th & 156th Sts.,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

Referring to your letter of the 16th instant will state that Nebraska is not issuing a medal to its soldiers who participated in the World War but we are issuing a Certificate of Service, a specimen copy of which will be forwarded to you if it isyour desire.

Very truly yours,

The Adjutant General,
Nebraska.

HJP/HB

STATE OF NEVADA

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

CARSON CITY

No

December 22, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 17th inst., received and in reply will state that Nevada did not issue medals to veterans of the World War.

Respectfully,

Maurice Sullivan

The Adjutant General.

22 December 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter of the 16th instant, the State of Massachusetts has not issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War, giving them an engraved testimonial of service instead.

Very truly yours,

PORTER B. CHASE
Lt. Col., A.G.D., Mass. N.G.,
Adjutant General.

PBC:M

December 23rd, 1921

Adjutant-General Herbert F. Johnson
Montpelier, Vt.

Dear Sir:

Your favour of December 19th at hand concerning World War honours. As we collect only the metallic mementoes, we do not desire the certificate of appreciation which you mention.

I beg to thank you very sincerely for your courtesy.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

December 22nd, 1921

Adjutant-General John [illegible] Dersey
Lansing, Mich.

Dear Sir:

Your favour of December 19th at hand. Many thanks for the information contained in the letter concerning medals issued to soldiers of the World War.

We appreciate your advising us that Michigan issued a medal to soldiers of the Spanish-American war and beg to state that we already have a specimen of the same.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I am

Very truly yours,

Curator

HJ/E

*In reply refer to Subject No.*

ALL COMMUNICATIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL.

No

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON

22 December 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter of the 16th instant, the State of Massachusetts has not issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War, giving them an engraved testimonial of service instead.

Very truly yours,

PORTER B. CHASE
Lt. Col., A.G.D., Mass. N.G.,
Adjutant General.

PBC:M

STATE OF OHIO
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF MILITARY REGISTRAR
COLUMBUS

Will Bronze

December 22, 1921.

Howland Wood,
New York,
N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter of Dec. 7 requesting Medal of Honor, authorized by Section 14867-2 Laws of Ohio , you are advised that design for medal has not as yet been selected.

Your letter has been placed on file and when the Medal is ready for distribution your application will receive our attention .

Very truly yours

George Florence
Adjutant General of Ohio.

A. R. Batch
Registrar

WISCONSIN NATIONAL GUARD
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
MADISON

No

December 22, 1921

Mr. Howland Wood,
156th st., West of Braadway,
New York.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of Dec. 19th, you are informed that the State of Wisconsin has made no provision for the issue of medals to Wisconsin soldiers who served during the World War.

Very Respectfully,

E. S. Driver

E. S. DRIVER, Major
Ass't to The Adjutant General

STATE OF FLORIDA,
MILITARY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL,

STATE ARSENAL, ST. AUGUSTINE,

December 23rd, 1921.

FROM: The Adjutant General

TO: Howland Wood, Curator, The American Numismatic Society,
New York, New York.

SUBJECT: Medals

1. Referring to your letter of the 19th instant, I regret to advise that the State of Florida has not as yet issued a medal to those of its soldiers who served in the late war. I trust that this is the desired information.

Charles P. Lovell

Chester H. Wilson

By; Chester H. Wilson
Major, 154th Inf. F.N.G.

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 23rd, 1921

Adjutant-General Jo.Lane Stern
Richmond, Va.

Dear Sir:

Your favour of December 21st at hand.

If by any chance in the future the State of Virginia should issue a medal to World War veterans, would it be possible for us to receive one of these ?

Very truly yours,

Howland Wood

Curator

HW/E

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE: Richmond, Va.

It is suggested you make this inquiry about April 1st, at which time the Legislature will have adjourned, and the question can be answered.

Jo. Lane Stern.
The Adjutant General.

December 27th, 1921

Adjutant-General H. J. Paul
Lincoln, Neb.

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your favour of December 21st. I beg to state that we do not assign the certificate of Service which you mention as this Museum is anxious to obtain only the metallic badges of the war.

Appreciating your courtesy, I beg to remain

Very truly yours,

Curator

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December 28th, 1921

The Adjutant-General's Department
Columbus, Ohio

Attention - Mr. A.M.Batch

Dear Sir:

Your favour of December 22nd at hand. We beg to thank you for your courtesy in placing the name of our Museum as an applicant for the World War Medal when it is issued.

Very truly yours,

Curator

Hw/E

December 28th, 1921

The Adjutant-General
Albany, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Would it be possible for us to obtain the various service medals for the different New York regiments? An officer was at this Society the other day and said that we should have these various badges, which, as I understand it, run up to twenty years' service.

Very truly yours,

Curator

M.A.C.

No

# STATE OF NEW MEXICO

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

SANTA FE

HENRY ROLF BROWN
ADJUTANT GENERAL

IN REPLY REFER TO

December 28,1921.

Mr. Howard Wood, Curator
The American Numismatic Society
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York City,N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Answering your letter of December 19th, wish to advise that the State of New Mexico has not issued a medal to its soldiers who participated in the World War.

Yours very truly,

Henry Rolf Brown
Adjutant General

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State of Arizona
Military Department
Phoenix, Arizona

Dec. 28th, 1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,

Curator, American Numismatic Society,

156th St., West of Broadway,

New York City.

Dear Sir:

Reference your letter of the 19th inst., you are advised that the State of Arizona has not issued a medal for service in the World War.

Very truly,

W. S. Ingalls
The Adjutant General of Arizona.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

SACRAMENTO

1-7 December 29,1921.

Mr. Howland Wood,
The American Numismatic Society
Broadway, Bet.155th & ,56th Sts.,
New York.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of December 19, the State of California has not provided medals for the soldiers who participated in the World War.

Very respectfully,

J.J.Borree

J.J.Borree,
Brigadier General, N.G.C.,
The Adjutant General.

STATE OF NEW YORK
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
ALBANY

December 29, 1921.

From: The Adjutant General.

To: Howland Wood, Curator, American Numismatic Society, Broadway & 155th St., N.Y. City.

Subject: Regimental Long Service Decorations.

In reply to your communication of the 28th instant you are informed that the regimental long service decoration does not come under the jurisdiction of this department but is a regimental award paid for by private funds. Most of the organizations award these medals and it is suggested that you communicate with them direct on the subject.

J. Leslie Kincaid,
The Adjutant General.

By: W.F. Ferguson

W.F. Ferguson,
Lt. Commander, R.L.

WHF/D

# STATE OF WASHINGTON

MILITARY DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

THE ARMORY

IN REPLY REFER TO

SEATTLE,

December 29, 1921

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th and 156th Streets,
New York, N. Y.

Gentlemen:- -ATTENTION MR. H. WOOD-

Replying to your letter of the 19th inst., please permit me to state that this State has not issued a medal to those of its soldiers who participated in the World War.

Should this State take steps later on to award a medal of this kind we will be very glad to do what we can to furnish you with one.

Yours truly,

HARRY G. SMART
Major A.G.D., W.N.G.
(G-1)

December 30th, 1922

The Attorney General of the State of New York
Albany, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

We understand that the State of New York has issued a medal to be given to Civilian Aid in Previous Wars. If it is possible for us to obtain a copy for our Museum, we should greatly appreciate anything you may be willing to do to enable us to make this addition to our valuable Cabinet.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

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EDGAR M. FOSTER, BUSINESS MGR.

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Nashville, Tenn.

No

January 7, 1922

Mr. Howland Wood,
156th Street,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your favor of Dec. 19th addressed to the Adjutant General of Tennessee and which was referred to the writer, I beg to advise that the State of Tennessee did not issue a medal to its World War Soldier, but such a medal was presented by a citizen's committee of Nashville.

If I am not mistaken, I sent you one of these medals for your collection some time ago. If not, please advise and I will try and locate one for your society.

Very truly yours,

Edgar Foster

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Headquarters Fifty Sixth Cavalry Brigade

601-611 CHRONICLE BUILDING

Houston, Texas

January 13th, 1922.

Mr. Howland Wood,
The American Numismatic Society,
156th Street, West of Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In compliance with your letter of December 19th, 1921, asking for a medal of the State of Texas issued to the soldiers of this State, addressed to the Adjutant General, I am today forwarding you under separate cover a medal issued by the State of Texas to the soldiers of the National Guard of Texas who served from June to October, 1920, at Galveston, while that City was under martial law, and which is called "Galveston Port Defenders 1920."

Yours very truly,

J. F. Wolters

J. F. Wolters,
Brigadier General, T.N.G.

Yes
Sent

# State of Delaware

**STATE MEDAL COMMITTEE**

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**THE ARMORY**
**WILMINGTON**

February 14, 1922.

The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, Between 155th & 156th Sts.,
New York, N. Y.

Attention Mr H. Wood, Curator

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of December 19th, I am sending herewith State Medal No 6909 as authorized by the last General Assembly to its ex-service men who participated in the World War; also find enclosed a medal receipt card which you are requested to sign and return at your earliest convenience to the State Medal Committee, State Armory, Wilmington, Delaware.

Yours very truly,

William Lyons, Jr., Sec'y.,

BY: John J. Dugan.

John J. Dugan

April 15th, 1922

MEDAL -
WORLD WAR VETERANS

Adjutant-General George Florence,
Adjutant-General's Department
Columbus, Ohio

Dear Sir:

This letter is simply as reminder to cover your favour of December 22nd - the issuance of a Medal of Honor to be given to World War Veterans authorized by Section 14867-2.

We are wondering whether these medals have been struck and are ready for distribution. If so, we should greatly appreciate one of them for our Memorial Building.

Very truly yours,

Curator

MM/E

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THE SECRETARY

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

MEDAL -
WORLD WAR VETERANS.

April 15th, 1922

Adjutant-General Jo.Lane Stern
Richmond, Va.

Dear Sir:

In answer to my letter of December 23rd you advised us to write again after April 1st to ascertain whether the Legislature passed an Appropriation to cover the issuance of a medal to World War Veterans.

If such a medal is issued, or is to be issued, it is our desire to add one of these to our Museum exhibit, and we should greatly appreciate any trouble you might take on our behalf regarding the matter.

Very truly yours,

Howland Wood

Curator

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Very truly yours,

Curator

MW/E

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The Adjutant-General's Office
Jefferson City, Mo.

Dear Sir:

This Museum is making a special effort to [illegible] the State of Missouri to World War veterans, with "United States Forces" on the back. We understand that there is another one issued to men in the National Guard. Would it be possible for this Society to secure this second medal?

We have the medal for Mexican border service [illegible]

The Society is very anxious to make its collection as complete as possible and we would greatly appreciate anything you may be able to do for us.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

STATE OF MISSOURI
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
JEFFERSON CITY

In compliance with an Act of the General Assembly and on behalf of the State of Missouri, I have the honor to present you with this Medal which has been awarded you in recognition of your service as a citizen of this State in the armed forces of the United States during the War with Germany.

It is intended to be to you and your posterity a token of the everlasting gratitude and appreciation of your State.

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Adjutant General

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June 5th, 1922.

State of Missouri,
Adjutant General's Office,
Jefferson City, Missouri.

I beg to acknowledge with warm thanks the receipt of your gift to our Society of the medal awarded by the State of Missouri in recognition of service in the late war. We are very glad to have this to add to our growing collection of similar medal.

Secretary.

IN REPLYING
REFER TO No.

1740-25-35
AC-jfb

HEADQUARTERS U. S. MARINE CORPS,

WASHINGTON, April 30, 1923.

My dear Mr. Wood:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of April 26th, relative to securing certain campaign insignia to be used for exhibition in the American Numismatic Society, New York, New York.

Agreeable to your request there are being forwarded to you this date, by registered mail, Haitian Campaign Badge (1915) No. 3472, and ribbon bar together with Haitian Campaign Badge (1919-1920) No. 97, and Haitian Campaign Bar 1919-1920.

You are informed that the Dominican Campaign Badge is not yet ready for distribution. With reference to the "Expeditionary Medal" mentioned in your letter, it is believed that you refer to the enclosed Commemorative Expeditionary Ribbon which is awarded for service with the following-named expeditions, for which no campaign badges have been authorized.

Abyssinia, 1903.
China, 1911.
Cuba, 1912, 1917.
Korea, 1903.
Nicaragua, 1909, 1910.
Panama, September, 1902; September, 1903; November, 1903; December, 1903; December, 1904; December, 1905; May, 1906; June, 1908; December, 1909.

Inasmuch as the above-mentioned decorations are only loaned to the American Numismatic Society, it is requested that you execute and return the enclosed memorandum receipt to these

Headquarters for future reference, using the accompanying envelope which requires no postage.

Very sincerely yours,

F. A. BARKER,
Major, Asst. Adjutant & Inspector,
U. S. Marine Corps.

7 enclosures.

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway & 156th Street,
New York City, N. Y.

April 30, 1923.

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the following decorations to be used for exhibition in the American Numismatic Society, New York, New York.

Haitian Campaign Badge (1919) No. 3472.
Haitian Campaign Badge (1919-1920) No. 97.
(ribbon bar)
Haitian Campaign Bar 1919-1920.
Commemorative Expeditionary Ribbon.

1740-25-35
AC-jfb

May 3rd, 1923

The Adjutant and Inspector
U. S. Marine Corps
Washington, D.C.

Attention - Major F. A. Barker

Dear Sir:

I beg to thank you very much for your courtesy in forwarding to this Society the two badges, the bar and the Commemorative Expeditionary ribbon. We will enter these as a loan, and I am herewith returning to you the receipt as per your request.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E
Encs.

December 13th, 1924

Adjutant General, State of Texas
Austin, Texas

Dear Sir:

I have recently learned indirectly through the War Department that the State of Texas is preparing a medal for Texan soldiers who were in the World War. Our Museum is making a special effort to form as complete a collection as possible along this line, and we should appreciate it if you would inform us whether it would be possible to secure one of these Texas medals, in ord er that we may include it in our exhibition. We are prepared to pay for this, if necessary.

Very truly yours,

Curator

January 15th, 1926

Adjutant General of Massachusetts
State House
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I have recently learned that the State of Massachusetts is to issue a medal of Valour. Would it possible for this Museum to secure a copy of this?

We have virtually a complete collection of American Award medals; and the Federal Government has given us, allowed us to buy, or has placed on permanent loan, specimens of all its medals as they have been issued.

Our Museum and the National Museum at Washington, as far as we know, are the only organizations in this country which have made a point of showing Valour medals.

Thanking you for anything you may be able to do with regard to the above matter,

Very truly yours,

Curator

June 30th 1930

Adjutant General
United States Army
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

We desire to obtain, for exhibition purposes, one of the badges issued to Gold Star Mothers on their pilgrimage to Europe. As you may remember, you have supplied us in times past, with various campaign and other medals for exhibition in our Museum, and for which we are very glad to remit.

Very truly yours,

Curator.

Oct. 9, 1930

Adjutant General

National Guard

Madison, Wis.

Dear Sir:

I have been informed that by applying through your office, we might be able to obtain, either by gift or purchase, for permanent exhibition in our Museum, the General Charles King medal. Perhaps you know that we make a speciality of collecting war medals and decorations. Would it be possible for you to furnish us with a list of what other medals you have so that we can check up and see if there is anything lacking?

Thanking you for your courtesy,

Very truly yours,

Curator.